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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Tadaaki OIKAWA of Nagano, Japan;
Hiroyuki UWAZUMI of Nagano, JapanFor: PERPENDICULAR MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM AND
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE SAME

Enclosed are:

- ☒ [X] FOUR (4) sheets of formal drawings, Figures 1a - 4.
- ☐ [] An Assignment of the invention to Fuji Electric Device Technology Co., Ltd.
- ☒ [X] The application claims priority from Japanese Application
2002-370559 filed December 20, 2002.
- ☐ [] A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.
- ☐ [] A Declaration and Power of Attorney.

☐ Small entity status is claimed under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.

☐ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

☒ An Information Disclosure Statement.

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